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Applicant: Eberhard Grunschloss
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This communication is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 25, 2005.

Claims 19-21 of the present application stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Christiano et al., No. 6,139,179, which has a filing date of September 3, 1999. As noted in the previous Response dated September 16, 2005, the present application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 to German Application No. 199 28 870.4 filed June 24, 1999. The Examiner has repeated the rejection absent an